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RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Mail Stop AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 10, 2003, the period for response thereto having been extended by two (2) months to June 10, 2003, in view of the enclosed Notice of Appeal and the authorization to charge the appropriate fee to Deposit Account 07-1770, Applicant requests reconsideration of the Final Rejection.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.8, I hereby certify that I have a reasonable basis to expect that this correspondence will be deposited with the United States Postal Service on or before the date indicated, as First Class mail, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop AF, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandra, VA 22313-1450.

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